Answer

(a) Yes.

(b) The Sponsoring Committee has provided 42 acres of land. But the Sponsoring Committee has not constructed a building worth Rs. 5 lakhs as undertaken by them.

(c) There was a provision of Rs. 50,000 during 1984-85. In 1985-86 Government have issued special sanction by re-appropriating a sum of Rs. 3 lakhs for construction of building to this college as per G. O. Rt. 3100/85/Fin. dated 2-8-1985. But this amount could not be utilised for various reasons such as change in the design of the building, ban on undertaking new works etc.

(d) Yes.

(e) An amount of Rs. 39,500 has already been provided in the 1986-87 budget. But this was mistakenly shown as for Cannanore Government College. This mistake has now been rectified and the Finance Department has since issued orders correcting the nomenclature.

(f) Action is being taken by Government for diverting Rs. 2 lakhs from the funds earmarked for construction of staff quarters and Science Block for Pattambi Government College, to the Government College, Manjeshwar. Orders will be issued shortly.

Upgradation of Manjeshwar Govinda Pai Memorial Government College

1233. [1845] **Dr. A. Subba Rao**: Will the Education Minister be pleased to state :

(a) Whether the Government have received any representation requesting to upgrade the Manjeshwar Govinda Pai Memorial Government College, Manjeshwar ;

(b) Whether it is a fact that the Calicut University Syndicate has recommended the upgradation ;

(c) Is the Government aware that the students studying in that College, especially the commerce students have no facilities to continue their studies in the Degree course ;

(d) If so whether the Government will upgrade the College in view of that being the only college mainly catering to the needs of Kannada Linguistic Minorities ?

Answer

(a) Yes.

(b) Yes.

(c, d) Government have not taken any decision on the starting of new course for this year.

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